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President Asks Truce In Soft Coal Dispute

Would Set Fact-Finders To Work

Washington, Jan. 31—(AP)—President Truman stepped around the Taft-Hartley act today with an appeal to miners to resume soft coal digging next Monday for 70 days and submit their case to a presidential board.

He made the fact-finding proposal also to spokesmen for the nation's coal operators.

Asking both sides to let him know their answer by 4 p.m. central standard time Saturday, Feb. 4, the President made his telegram sound much like an ultimatum.

Did Not Mention T-H Law

He did not mention the Taft-Hartley law and its provision for injunction in cases of national emergency. In fact his language skirted carefully around the question of the existence of an emergency—a thing that he had denied existed up to this point.

But he did urge John L. Lewis, United Mine Workers chief, and the operator spokesmen to accept his proposal "in the national interest."

He told them that while it is "national policy" to foster voluntary labor settlements and avoid compulsion, nevertheless:

"The government can no longer stand by and permit the continuance of conditions which have now come to have such a serious effect upon the public interest."

For his 70-day truce the President spoke of "normal" coal production. That would rule out the three-day week which most coal miners have been working, as well as the sporadic full-scale strikes which had more than a fourth of the 400,000 UMW members idle today.

Chicens Committee

Mr. Truman's proposed board, to be named by him, would be made up of three citizens "representing the public," with none from industry, government or labor.

In one respect it would have powers beyond those of any board he might assign to the job in proceeding under the Taft-Hartley act.

While either party could reject the board's findings, Mr. Truman proposed specifically that it have power to outline in its report "the procedures and the grounds for a fair and equitable settlement of the current dispute." A T-H board has no such settlement-proposing powers. It only finds facts.

Congressional reaction to the President's move was mixed.

Senator Taft (R-Ohi), one of the T-H authors, pretty well summed up the critical Republican view:

"It is obvious that the President's only intention is to by pass the Taft-Hartley act."

Parts Of Hijacked Whiskey Shipment Recovered By FBI

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 31—(AP)—Parts of a \$22,000 truck shipment of whisky hijacked near Cairo, Ill., a month ago have been recovered in Oklahoma, Arkansas and Tennessee, the FBI said today.

James B. Foster, special agent in charge of the Springfield office, said a total of 17 or 18 men were arrested in Tulsa, Okla.; Little Rock, Ark., and Memphis, Tenn. Some of the stolen whisky was found in those cities.

Foster said cases were broken and the liquor was rewrapped. Recoveries were made in the last two weeks. The whisky found in Tulsa, he said, was in the possession of a "dealer" there. The quantity located in Little Rock was in an abandoned truck.

The hijacked shipment enroute from Springfield to Cairo, consisted of 540 cases. Two men with guns drove alongside the truck Dec. 31, as it slowly mounted a grade, bound and dumped the truck driver on the roadside and took the vehicle and its cargo.

The stolen truck was discovered abandoned in Missouri a few days later.

Record French Budget Approved

Paris, Jan. 31—(AP)—The national assembly approved a record French budget for 1950 and simultaneously gave Premier Georges Bidault a new vote of confidence tonight, 301 to 284.

Thus ended three months of budgetary huffing and puffing.

Expenditures are listed in the budget at 2,258,000,000 francs (about \$6,300,000,000) against receipts of 2,118,000,000 francs, but the government has promised to make up the deficit by economies.

The opposition, including both communists and DeGaulists, needed rescuers did not expect to reach the 311 votes to put Bidault out of office.

Army Prepares To Aid Sections Hit By Snow

By the Associated Press

The army released equipment for rescue missions in snow-locked sections of the Dakotas Tuesday and studied whether another "operation snowbound" is needed to relieve dis-

At the same time, the coldest weather in more than a half century gripped areas of the Pacific Northwest. Temperatures sagged below freezing again in the southern citrus belt.

Parts of the Dakotas are buried under a 34 inch deep snow blanket with drifts up to 10 feet high. Some rural families have been isolated since mid-December. An estimated 500 families are in desperate need of heating fuel in the sub zero cold.

Some families are running out of food. The army said one of the most critical spots is the town of Edgely, N.D., where fuel is nearly gone.

The Red Cross designated as disaster areas four South Dakota counties and a 150 mile long and 50 miles wide stretch of North Dakota from

President Opens First Session Of India Parliament

New Delhi, India, Jan. 31—(AP)—President Rajendra Prasad opened the Indian republic's first session of parliament today with a reiteration of the nation's neutrality in the East-West cold war.

The government's policy, he told the legislators, is "directed toward securing peace in the world and avoiding any alignment which leads to hostilities with any nation."

His government, he continued, is wedded to the Gandhian principles of peace and non-violence, both internal and external.

The frail 64-year-old disciple of Mohandas K. Gandhi was elected first president by the constituents as recently as a week ago.

His policy of neutrality was reinforced by Premier Jawaharlal Nehru, who angrily told parliament that he was not pro-communist or "anti-this or anti-that."

"I may be soft to some, hard to others at times, but I dislike being pushed about or bullied," he declared. "I represent Asia when I say we are not going to be pushed this way or that."

"Some on the Anglo-American side call me communist, while some on the other side call me imperialist. This is the result of a sheer fear complex."

AFL Says Private Builders Failing To Solve Housing

Miami Beach, Fla., Jan. 31—(AP)—Leaders of the American Federation of Labor said today private builders are failing to "lick the housing shortage" and the government should step in with a middle-income aid plan.

The AFL's executive council endorsed bills in Congress to spur low-cost cooperative housing and called for continued rent controls until the shortage is over.

"Clearly, the housing needs of American workers are not being met," the council's statement said.

It is housing production, while reaching a record of 1,019,000 units in 1949, still is behind production increases in automobiles and other consumer goods when measured against the rising population.

The 1949 record still represents only two-thirds of the level that is necessary if we are to lick the housing shortage within the next decade, the council's statement said.

The AFL high command selected William McFerride, president of the Building Service Employees International Union, as the AFL's 13th vice-president and a member of the executive council.

3 Miners Trapped, Believed Killed In Fall At Mine

Williamson, W. Va., Jan. 31—(AP)—Three miners were trapped and believed killed late today by a fall at the Puritan Coal Corp. mine at Williamson, about seven miles east of here.

A spokesman at the company office said 10 or 11 others at the point of the fall escaped.

The missing men were identified as Lon Estep, 38, and his brother-in-law, Julius Brown, 27, both of Bias, W. Va., and Leo Crum, 40, of Rameyton, W. Va.

Ambulances were rushed to the scene from Williamson. Word was

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The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for republication of all
news stories credited to it or otherwise credited in this paper and also the items
news published therein.**IT'S ABOUT TIME WE REVISED
OUR ENTIRE TAX FRAMEWORK**

President Truman's tax program has laudable aims, but it's a real question how close his specific proposals would come to realizing them.

The war saw the government impose a whole host of excise taxes for the joint purpose of raising money and discouraging civilian consumption. They were declared to be emergency levies only, yet they're still with us five years after the war.

Mr. Truman proposes to cut seven of these, including taxes on transportation of freight and passengers, long-distance telephone and telegraph, furs, jewelry, handbags, luggage and toilet preparations. Except for a 3 per cent levy on freight, the excises range from 15 to 25 per cent.

But the President doesn't say how much the reduction should be nor what should be done about taxes on a wide group of other products.

In view of his past messages on the issue of tax reduction his new program represents something of a reversal in attitude. Hence it may be expecting too much to imagine he would consider outright repeal of any or all wartime excises at this time. His recommendations nevertheless are disappointing.

There was nothing surprising in his suggestion that money lost through reduced excises be made up—and another \$1,000,000,000 drawn in—through closing various tax loopholes and boosting corporate and certain estate and gift taxes.

Whether he may have thought also of advising higher income levies we can only guess. In any event, he bowed to election year realities on that score.

It is plain that if carried out his program would be popular with a majority of citizens and unpopular merely with limited groups affected by proposed increases and loophole closings. One wonders how accidental that aspect of the President's plan is.

Aside from the excise changes, most recommendations are offered as ways of correcting "inequities" in the tax structure. They may indeed have some value in that direction. But Mr. Truman's sketchy, piecemeal approach to the genuinely complex issue of tax inequity hardly looks sound.

Both Democrats and Republicans concede that the federal tax set-up is a thing of shreds and patches that has long needed revision. The Republican 80th Congress made a stab at a general revision bill but it died after getting through the House late in the 1948 session. Since then nothing has happened.

Mr. Truman and his tax advisers are no help. Each year his tax proposals are limited in scope. The notion of revision is always pushed into the future.

We believe it would be a mistake to consider isolated tax inequities without reference to the whole body of tax law. Let Congress and the Administration combine to chop expenditures enough to balance loss expected from lowered excises. Meantime, let's get on with at least the real preliminaries of the long-overdue revamping of the entire tax pattern.

Designed Cold Cuts

Combine assorted cold cuts, relishes, sprigs of parsley with a bit of imagination and the kitchen bread board is transformed into a tray for attractive eating.

**Cold Cuts
Rank As Cooks
Versatile Aid**

MENU
Assorted Cold Cuts
Relishes
Potato Salad
Rye Bread
Butter or Margarine
Chocolate Sundaes
Beverages

Cold cuts might well be listed as one of the "cooks" handiest helpers. With only a few minutes notice, they are ready to be served alone or to lend spiciness to other dishes.

For an attractive cold meat platter to center a buffet supper or a quick family meal, select a range of flavors from the mild meat loaves

to the garlic flavored summer sausages. For more variety, arrange the platter—or bread board—with the light meat slices overlapping the darker slices or design a strictly original platter.

Assorted Shapes

To further add to an attractive platter combination, cut the meat into unusual shapes or roll the slices cornucopia-style and fill the cavity with cream cheese or sweet pickle relish. Sprigs of parsley and crisp relishes will help to give the platter a finished touch.

Main dish salads are a second popular use of cold meats. Cut the meat into bite-sized pieces, then right before you are ready to serve, toss the chilled vegetables and meat with a piquant dressing. Or cut the meat in julienne strips and generously pile them over a tossed salad.

Besides the tempting platter of cold meats and salads, ready-to-serve meals may be the goodness for a hearty lunch box or dainty tea sandwiches. Serve them in slice form, or grind the different cold cuts and combine them with pickle relish, hard-cooked egg or American or Swiss cheese for delightful spreads.

Served Hot

Casseroles present another grand opportunity for using ready-to-serve meats. The assorted flavors may be cubed and added to such dishes as macaroni, spaghetti or scalloped potatoes for new mealtime interest.

Spicy cold cuts as liver sausage, cervelat or thuringer sausage are delicious when browned at a moderate temperature in a small amount of lard or drippings, then served piping hot for either breakfast, lunch or dinner.

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THE DOCTOR SAYS**People With Blood
Vessel Disease
Shouldn't Smoke**By Edwin P. Jordan, M.D.
Written For NEA Service

I have never seen any claims that tobacco smoking promotes good health. There is vigorous debate on how harmful smoking may or may not be but no one claims that it strengthens the muscles, improves the "wind" or does anything else of a health-building nature.

Nicotine is probably the principal ingredient of tobacco smoke which may exert an unfavorable effect. As a pure drug, nicotine is a powerful poison. When burned as it is in smoking, the harmful effect of the nicotine is certainly lessened.

Tobacco smoke irritates the delicate mucous linings of the breathing passage. Coated tongue in heavy smokers is the rule. The throat and larynx, or voice box, are irritated by heavy smoking and smokers frequently have a slight cough and hoarseness.

Damages Appetite

Smoking interferes with the appetite. The person who stops heavy smoking suddenly tends to gain weight merely because he eats more.

People with ulcers of the stomach are advised not to smoke. Smoking increases the acid secretions of the stomach and tends to slow the healing of an ulcer, some people believe.

Many smokers complain of cold hands and feet. This is because the nicotine absorbed causes some of the small blood vessels to contract and, therefore, to carry less warming blood to these regions.

In some people the tightening of the blood vessels is so great after smoking that a temporary increase in blood pressure is produced. Those who have definite blood vessel disease, such as Buerger's or Raynaud's diseases, should be definitely forbidden to smoke.

There is little doubt that excessive smoking interferes with athletic performances. Shortness of breath on exertion after smoking is usual. Athletes in training are not supposed to smoke during the period of their competition.

Does smoking shorten life? This is highly debatable. One of the most authoritative studies of this subject comes to the conclusion that in men, at least, smokers after the age of 40 have a lower average expectation of life than do non-smokers.

Different people are affected differently by tobacco smoking. Those who show definitely unfavorable effects, or have diseases in which tobacco smoking is pretty well known to be harmful, should give up the habit.

**Hold Services For
W.F. Fahey, Former
Jerseyville Mayor**

JERSEYVILLE—Funeral services for William Francis Fahey, former mayor of Jerseyville, were held Monday at 9:30 a.m. from St. Francis Xavier's church in this city. Requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father John J. Clancy. Interment was in St. Francis cemetery.

Fahey was a son of the late David and Hannah Hayes Fahey and was born in Jerseyville Nov. 27, 1870. He died at St. John's hospital in Springfield, Jan. 26, at 11:05 p.m. at the age of 79 years.

He is survived by one son, Newell F. Fahey, of St. Louis, Mo., and one daughter, Sister Catherine Marie, of Springfield.

Funeral services for William A. Boner, well-known retired farmer of this city, were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. from the Jerseyville Methodist church. Rev. Dale Harmen, pastor of the church, officiating. Interment was in Oak Grove cemetery.

Boner was a son of the late William and Mary Ann Stover Boner and was born Jan. 17, 1861. He died at his residence in Jerseyville on Jan. 29 at 7:40 a.m. at the age of 89 years.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Boner, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Marilyn Ott,
Lt. Robert White
Engaged To Wed

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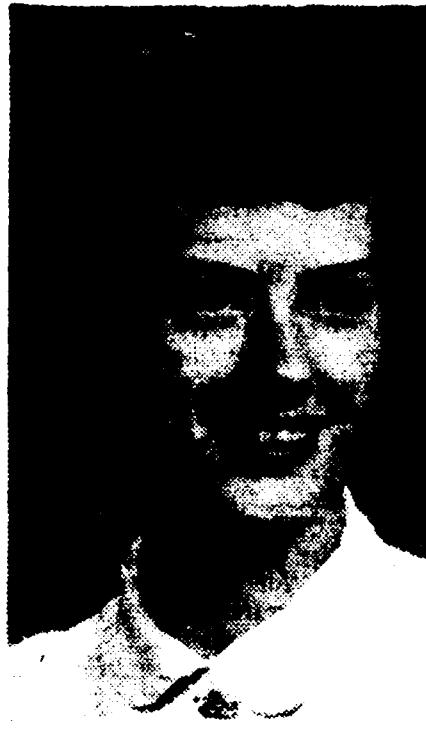
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Better Stay in Bed a Little Longer

MISS JO ANN WINSTEAD

**Nip Threatening Blaze
In Floreth Building**

A hotel engineer's vigilance was credited Tuesday morning with the discovery of a threatening fire in the upper section of the three story Floreth building on West State street.

Firemen caught the blaze in its early stages and extinguished it with a minimum of damage.

Lester Henderson, an employee of the Dunlap hotel, noticed that one of the chimneys of the Floreth building was burning out, as he went to the post office for the early mail.

Henderson went back to the hotel and noticed that the volume of smoke from the chimney had died down, but he wasn't exactly satisfied. Henderson ascended to the hotel roof and looked across Dunlap Court down into the row of buildings to the east.

A small shaft of flame from the Floreth building met his gaze. Henderson turned in a fire alarm, after which the department nipped the blaze with a stream from a booster pump.

Larger hose was laid from hydrants in the vicinity as a precaution. The aerial ladder truck was taken to the building but the ladder was not raised.

Firemen carried the booster line up a stairway, locating the fire around a window opening into a hollow court between buildings. The wall around the window was charred.

Considerable water damage resulted in one of the rooms on the second floor occupied by Casier & Stapleton, consulting engineers. A small amount of water soaked through to the first floor room occupied by the Thrifane Gas Co.

The alarm was sounded at 8:20 o'clock. The fire was put out within

a few minutes, but firemen remained for a longer time to check over the attic and roof.

Chief Lonergan said the blaze started on the outside of a window sill in the court between the buildings. He expressed opinion that a large piece of burning soot fell from the chimney into the court, landing on the window sill.

The chief said Henderson's hunch that the Floreth building was in danger no doubt prevented more extensive damage.

Junior Woman's Club At Concord To Present Play

The Concord Junior Woman's club will present a three act play entitled "How the Club Was Formed" by O. W. Gleason on Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 7 and 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the Town Hall.

The cast includes Orieida Anderson, Mildred Musch, Vashti Baise, Alma June McDaniel, Helen Hess, Maxine Goodpasture, Esther Newby, Juanita Strickler, Doris Taylor, Clara Scott, Ina Gaines, Mildred Roegge, Myra Nickel, Lucille Delaney and Esther Brockhouse.

Special numbers have been planned for between acts.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

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Belgians May Reduce Death Sentences

Brussels—(AP)—Many Belgians sentenced to death for wartime collaboration with the Germans may have their sentences reduced to life imprisonment following recent recommendations by a parliamentary commission. The commission recommended that men who were sentenced for purely political crimes should have their death penalty reduced to at least life imprisonment.

These men form a good percentage of nearly 300 ex-collaborators now in jail with a death sentence hanging over them. Many date back to 1945 but were never carried out. This was due to the Belgian policy of rarely putting criminals to death except for something odious.

9,000 Chickens In One House

Amboy, Ill.—(AP)—John Klieman has figured a way to raise 9,000 chickens under one roof.

He constructed an improved version of the circular "hen house." His 150-foot diameter building is pie-cut into eight sections, each containing ultra-modern water-feeding and nesting equipment. The floor slopes to the center drain for easy cleaning.

A 16-foot center circle serves as a work area. A feed carrier mounted on a circle monorail suspended from the ceiling enables one man to tend the flock.

Dogs Ride Motorcycles

Sidney, Australia—(AP)—In the far west of South Australia, where they don't figure sheep to the acre but reckon square miles to the sheep and young ranch hands are motor mechanics not horsemen, it is not unusual to see a motorcycle snorting along narrow, winding sheep paths with a dog standing on the pillion, its tail feathering in the wind, giving as good a display of trick riding as could be seen in any circus.

When the rider halts the machine, the dog often a Border Collie, leaps away and, before a cigarette can be rolled and smoked, will muster a herd of 500 to 600 half-wild ewes and lambs from the dusty scrub.

ASHLAND

Ashland—Mr. and Mrs. John A. Adkins, Mrs. Myrtle Work, Mrs. Nora Bailey and Mrs. Leta Hammack attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration held recently at the Fairview church near Saldora, for Mr. and Mrs. H. Abbott.

Joan Doolin is a patient in St. John's hospital, Springfield.

Carroll Baker was released from St. John's hospital, Springfield, Monday evening, where he was a surgical patient.

Miss Letta Crews returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Edwards Monday afternoon from a month's stay at St. John's hospital, Springfield, where she has had bronchial pneumonia.

Mrs. Jessie Spears is a patient in St. John's hospital, for observation, and Mrs. Lizzie Edwards is a patient in the Memorial hospital, Springfield.

Melvin Christianer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Christianer of this city, has been accepted as a student at the St. Louis University's Parks College of Aeronautical Technology. He is a 1944 graduate of the local high school and has served almost three years in the Army. Melvin is a candidate for a degree of Bachelor of Science in Aeronautical Engineering from St. Louis University.

ASHLAND

Ashland—Jackie Wood returned to his home Wednesday night from the Memorial hospital, Springfield, where he had his tonsils removed last Monday morning.

Walter W. Savage, Sr., was discharged from Memorial hospital in Springfield the middle of last week where he was a medical patient.

A potluck supper in the form of a farewell party was held in the basement of the Christian church Wednesday night for the Eugene Rust family who are moving to a farm a half mile from Athens in a few days. They were presented with a white Bible.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Brownback Friday morning at St. John's hospital, Springfield. The baby weighed eight pounds, five ounces, and has been named Henry Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Jones left early Thursday for Tampa, Fla., for a few weeks' stay.

Doctorate Loans Planned

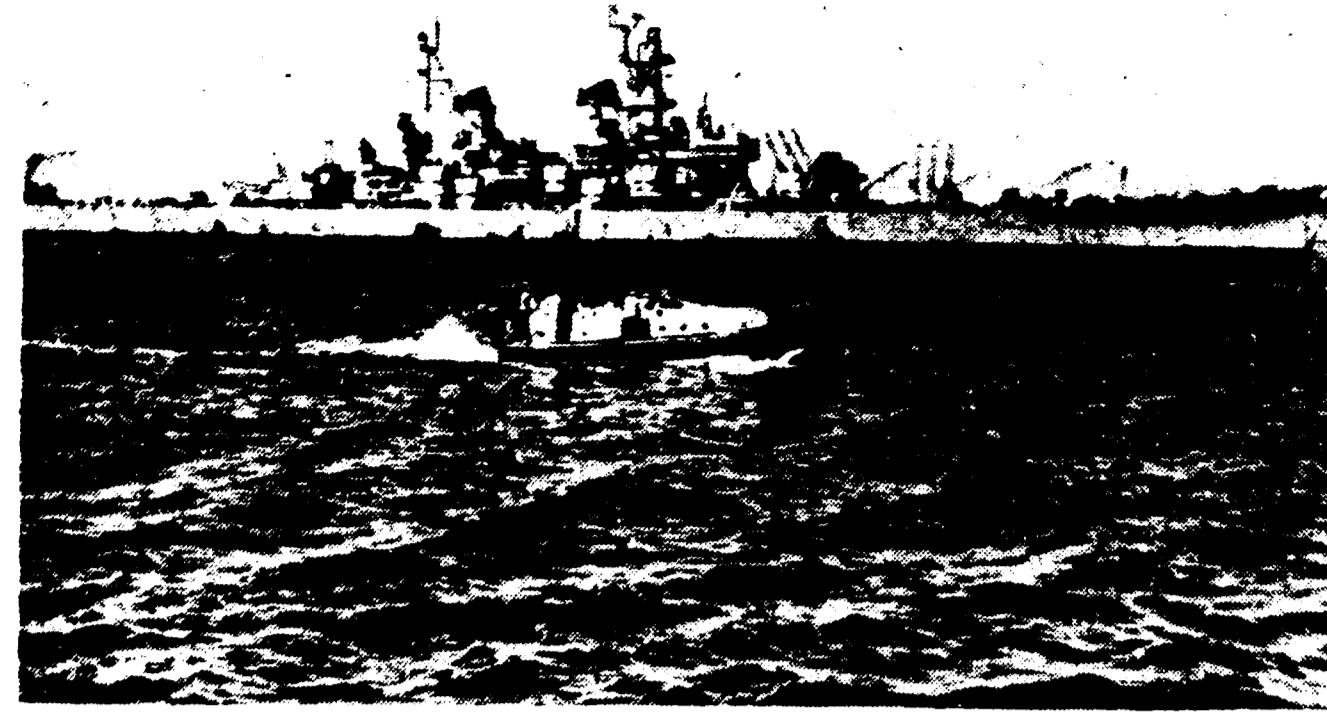
Springfield, Ohio—(AP)—Wittenberg College's Board of Directors has established grants-in-aid to help promising young faculty members finance work on their doctorates.

The College's annual budget will henceforth include \$2,500 for these grants, which will be made available to instructors as interest-free loans. These loans will be canceled in the case of instructors who earn their doctorates and remain with the college for five years thereafter.

OTTO H. NIEMANN

Avowed Candidate, County Judge (Democratic Party)

Should we not "get along" what's the matter with you, anyway. (Political Adv.)



—NEA Telephoto.
STILL STUCK SOLID—The USS Missouri, aground off Norfolk, Va., since Jan. 17, failed to move after dynamite charges were set off in the mud holding her. Here an officer's launch circles the big ship on a routine inspection.

VIRGINIA

Virginia—The Walnut Grove club will hold an all day potluck meeting Feb. 8 at the home of Mrs. Richard Fanning. The program will be given by the "Girls of Yesterday," with a poem, "Those Golden Days," by Mrs. Walter Murphy. Mrs. Joseph Ohn-

will assist the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jokisch spent Thursday afternoon with their mother, Mrs. Partha Miller, at Grand Villa, south of this city.

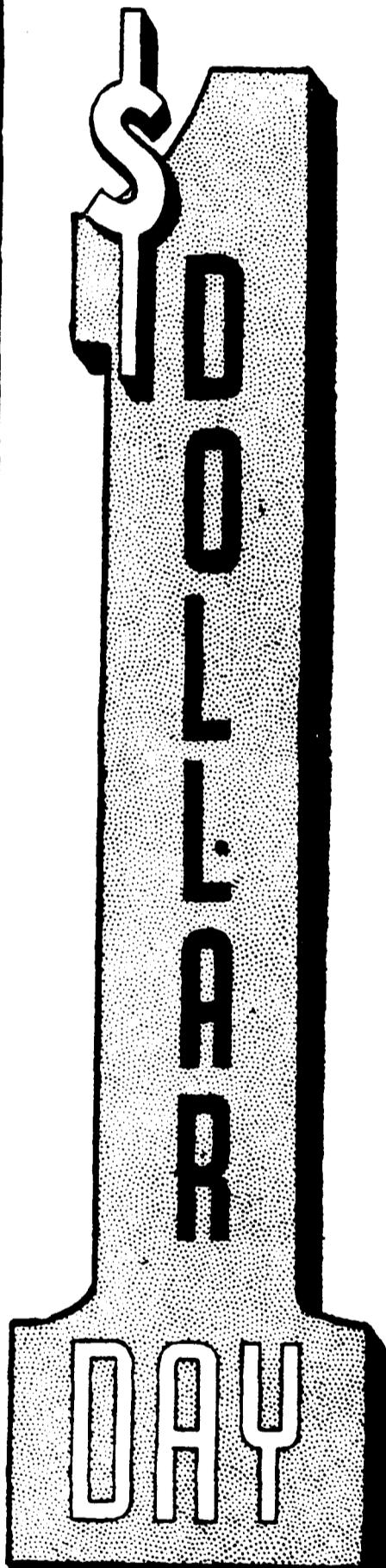
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Öre were business callers at Arenzville last one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ring near Jacksonville. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and Mrs. Partha Miller were business callers in Jacksonville last week.

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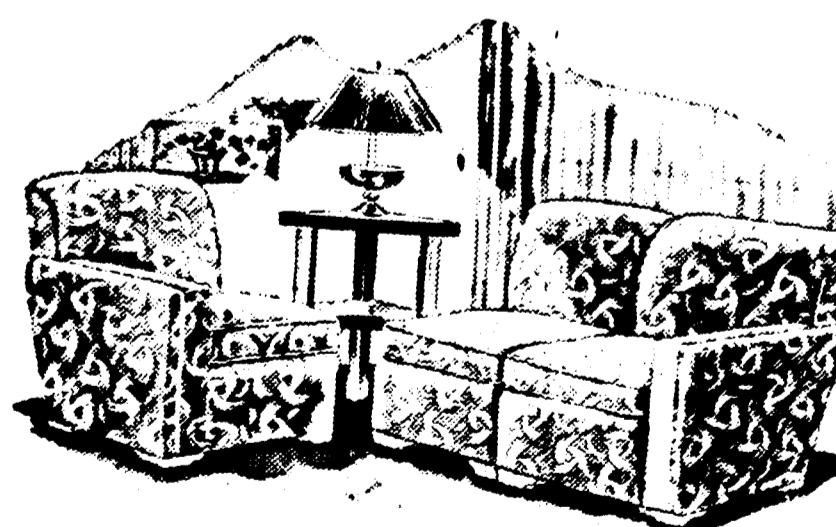
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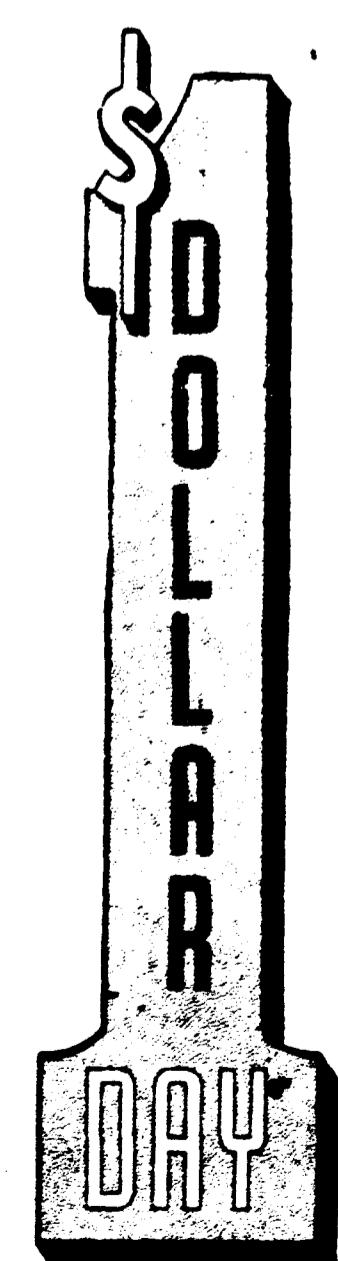
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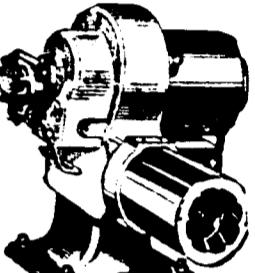
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Finn Timmons, owner of the ferret, slicked him on the job of traversing the 2,210-foot conduit with an order, "Take it through, Pete." Pulling a string, Pete made it in 20 minutes the first run. On the fourth and final trip, it took the tired, one-half hour hours.

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Social EventsNineteen Present At
Gleaner Class Meeting

The Gleaner class of Northminster Presbyterian church met at the church with the president, Mrs. Walter DeShara, in charge. Sixteen members answered roll call. There were also three guests present. Short talks were given by Mrs.

Anna Estaque, class teacher, and Rev. and Mrs. C. Frank Janzen. Mrs. John Huber read the story of "Raft with Rickenbacher."

Refreshments were served by hostess, Mrs. DeShara, assisted by the three kinds of property to include in a will, namely, real, personal, and mixed.

Guest Night Observed
By Alpha Iota Chapter

Guest night was held by the Jacksonville Alumnae Chapter of Alpha Iota when it met Monday at the Hamilton Cafe. The evening was spent in playing Canasta with prizes awarded to Betty Hermann and Lucille DeGroot. Twenty-four members and twelve guests were present. The hostesses were Jean Davidson, Elizabeth Hardy, Emily Irlam, and Doris Hodapp.

Guests included Margaret Nelson, Agnes Grey, Phyllis Ogle, Lucille Ellering, Joyce Kinnett, Bea Little, Lois Sample, Doris Souza, Sally Broderich, Angelia Killam, Aggie Johnson and Nellie Morgan.

Members who attended are Mary Beth Spaulding, Merna Preston, Agnes Flynn, Mary Bentena, Martha Lorton, Shirley Ellering, Shirley Grossop, Mildred Straw, Louise Nicholson, Ila Mae Squires, Jean Davidson, Elizabeth Hardy, Laverne Levekamp, Helen Quinlan, Anna Lonergan, Frances Guttmann, Helen Cook, Lucille DeGroot, Vivian Elizabeth Hardy, Emily Irlam, and O'Brien, Betty Hermann, Donna Burris, Pat Swisher, Irene Korsemeyer, and Irene Crawford.

Mound Home Bureau
Unit Holds Meeting

Mrs. T. R. Baker and Mrs. Clarence Abernathy were hostesses to the Mound Unit, Morgan-Scott Home Bureau, Monday afternoon at Mrs. Baker's home on South Main street. Mrs. Frances King, home adviser, gave the major lesson on Wills and Inheritance Laws of Illinois, and Mrs. Gerald Heaton, the minor on "Removing Wall Paper." Mrs. King

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Close Saturdays**

Announcement is made by V. Y. Dallman, Collector of Internal Revenue, that neither the Springfield office nor any of the Internal Revenue Offices of this district will be open Saturdays during the filing period. This is according to instructions received from the Bureau in Washington, which is required to economize in the operation of collector's offices due to reduced appropriations.

In order to serve the taxpayers to the fullest extent, under the circumstances, blank forms of all kinds have not only been mailed to postmasters' offices and banks and other establishments for distribution, but also all taxpayers of record have been mailed appropriate forms for their use in preparing returns. Needed blank forms can be obtained at any time from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday at any of the Internal Revenue Offices of the district of will be mailed in response to the receipt of communications requesting a certain number of any specified form.

All zone deputy collectors in the district are devoting their entire time assisting farmers in the preparation and filing of complete income tax returns for 1949. This phase of the filing period will close Tuesday and all returns filed or mailed by midnight of that date will not be delinquent. All other returns required of corporations and individuals, as well as declaration of estimated tax for 1950, must be filed by March 15. All deputy collectors, supplemented by Internal Revenue Agents, will devote their entire time—March 1 to 15—similarly assisting all taxpayers with their problems and the preparation of returns.

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**Clarence Burrus
Expires Tuesday**

Clarence F. Burrus, 64, died at his residence northwest of the city Tuesday at 2:45 a.m. He was a farmer in this vicinity for many years. Surviving are his wife, Florence, and eight brothers and sisters.

The body is at the Williamson Funeral Home, where services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. Burial will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

Due to the illness of Mrs. Burrus, the services will be private for close friends and relatives only.

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**Call For Bids To
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Sealed proposals for operating a new "star" mail route between Mt. Sterling and Jacksonville will be received until Feb. 16 by the Post Office department. The new route will help to loosen the strangle-hold on the mail service in this section of the state resulting from abandonment of passenger trains.

A "star" route now is in operation between Mt. Sterling and Bluffs. A new contract is necessary for the extension of the route to Jacksonville. When the new route is established it will serve towns along State Route 14 including Meredosia and Chapin, and Bluffs which is located on State Route 100, several miles south of the Route 104 junction.

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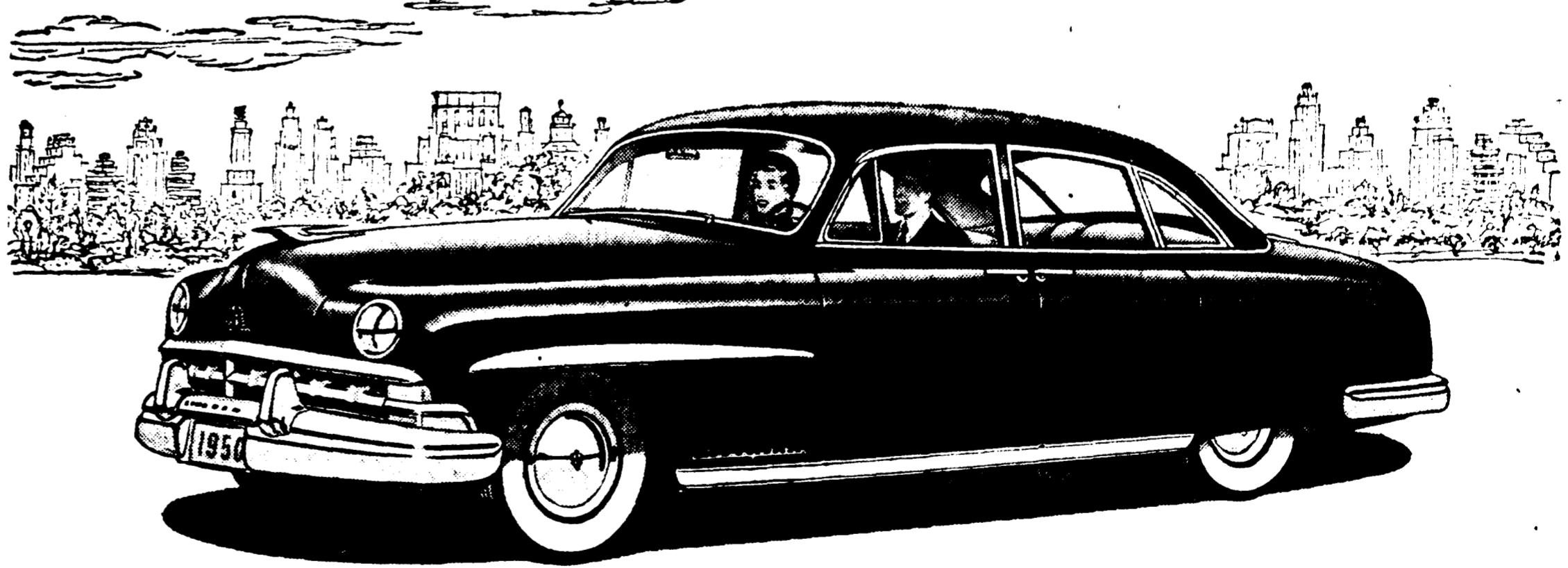
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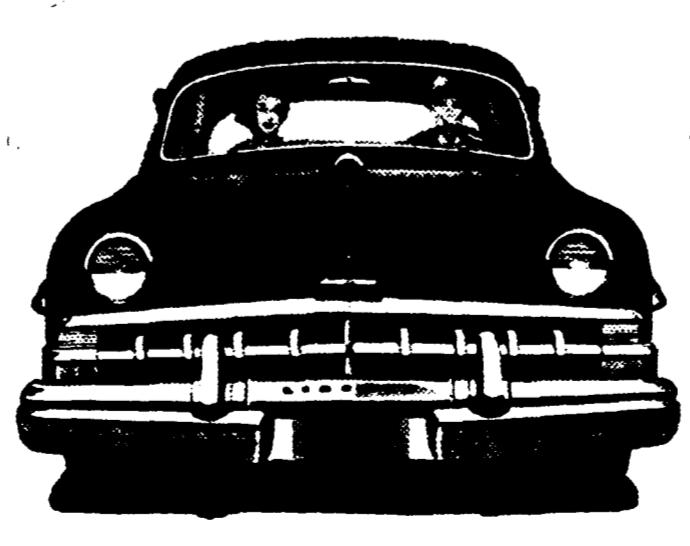
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Franklin Music Club In Meeting At Waverly Home

The Franklin Music club held its January meeting in Waverly at the home of Mrs. Mary Huson. The topic or roll call was "My Early Musical Training."

The program included "Welcome

to New Members," Mrs. Boo; "Songs My Mother Taught Me," "I'm Tying the Leaves So They Won't Come Down" and "Twilight Is Falling." Mrs. Rees: "Music at Home, Including Music in the Franklin, Alexander and Nortonville Unit No. 1." Mrs. Thelma Crow: "First Piano Lessons and Illustrations," Miss Alberta Wise: "Vals No. 1" by Chopin and "Madrirena" by Bach. Miss Wise: "Development of Music Appreciation in the Young Child." Mrs. Whalen: "Symphony Concerts Given at St Louis for School Children." Mrs. Fitzhugh: "A Blackbird's Song" by Sanderson and "The Nightingale Has a Lyre of Gold" by Wheeley. Mrs. Doolin: and "Current Musical Events Away from Home, in Springfield, St. Louis and Chicago," Mrs. Fitzhugh.

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Miss Joan Lewis To Receive DAR Award At Ashland

Ashland—Miss Joan Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. Lewis, of this city, has been chosen by the senior class and faculty of the local high school to receive the D.A.R. good citizenship award.

Miss Lewis is president of the F.H.A. and has held other offices in that group and the class of '50 since she entered high school. She reigns as snow queen at the annual snow frolic this year.

A talented musician, Miss Lewis has represented her school in the district and state music contests with both vocal solos and ensembles.

Miss Lewis was a cheer leader in her freshman and sophomore years, has been on the school paper staff for the last two years; was in the junior play and directed "Show Business," which was presented on Jan. 17th. She has been on the honor roll many times and has received two scholarship letters.

Dates Of Coming Events

FEB. 1—Auction sale of furniture, 7 P.M.; Middendorf Bros. Auction House, 532 W. Walnut, Middendorf Bros. aucts.

FEB. 4—Auction sale, 4 room house, 1123 Allen Ave., 11 a.m.; at courthouse, John P. Smith, estate; Bellatti, Arnold & Pay, attorneys, Middendorf Bros. aucts.

FEB. 6—Indiana University all Male Chorus at J.H.S. Auditorium, 8 p.m. Sponsored by Band Parents Organization. Tickets at Music Alum, Jax, Novelty and band members.

FEB. 8—Closing out sale, livestock and machinery, 2 miles east of Manchester at 1 p.m. Edward W. Gooschner, owner, Erickson & Doolin, auct.

FEB. 9—Public Auction of Livestock and farm machinery, Newingham Farm, 2 miles south Nortonville, known as "Bell Smith Place"; Ellis Spencer, auctioneer, Ernest Newingham & Sons, owners.

FEB. 11—Rummage Sale Back of Jail, Exeter W.S.C.S.

FEB. 14—Special machinery sale, Pittsfield Community Sale, Pittsfield, Ill.

FEB. 14—Closing out sale, 4½ mi. N. W. of Manchester, 10 a.m. Livestock, implements, furniture, Julian Sheppard, owner, Middendorf Bros. aucts.

FEB. 13—Hollenbeck and Killebrew sale, Baylis, Ill.

FEB. 20—Durco Bred sow sale, top gilts at Geo. Elliott Farm, 5 miles east Carrollton, Ill., Middendorf Bros. aucts.

FEB. 20—Public sale 12 o'clock—40 head Poland China bred gilts, Clyde Patterson, R. 1, Jacksonville, Ill.

FEB. 21—Cafeteria Lunch at Centenary church. Serving starts 11 a.m. Sponsor Club 1, WSCS.

FEB. 22—Closing out sale 7½ mi. E. of Roodhouse, at Verdie Gibbons farm. Livestock, implements, 10:30 a.m. Evelyn Gibbons, owner, L. L. Seely & Son, aucts.

Markets At A Glance

New York, Jan. 31—(P)—Stocks—Irregular; profit taking clips TV issues.

Bonds—Mixed; government's recover losses.

Cotton—Quiet; trade price fixing, Chicago

Wheat—Higher at close; short covering.

Corn—Closed higher; advanced with wheat.

Oats—Higher on closing rally.

Soybeans—Mixed; deferred deliveries failed to rally.

Hogs—Slow and steady to 25 cents lower; top \$17.75.

Cattle—Slow and steady to 50 cents lower; top \$35.00.

Cards of Thanks

Blue, Sug

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy shown during our recent bereavement.

Vivian Brinkman
Lawrence Blue
Lydia Moore
Leon Damron

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Thurs., Feb. 2

12 NOON

In addition to our usual run of livestock, L. B. Wills, who has sold his farm, has consigned his livestock for this sale consisting of:

1 4-yr. registered roan Shorthorn cow with 250 lb. heifer calf at side. This cow is bred back to a registered bull.

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Gun Club Sponsors Shoot Sunday For March Of Dimes

Ashland—The Ashland Gun club has announced plans for an all day trap shoot Sunday, Feb. 5, from which all proceeds will be contributed to the March of Dimes. The shoot will take place at the club's range, one and a half miles northeast of Ashland. A large number of prizes have been donated by merchants and others interested in the success of the event.

New York Stock Market

New York, Jan. 31—(P)—Buyers and sellers of stocks had pretty close ideas on the subject of prices today.

Most changes were in minor fractions, with only a handful running to as much as a point either way. Gains and losses were well distributed.

The market showed rising tendencies at the outset but almost immediately enough profit taking developed to check an advance.

Trading started at a rapid rate, then steadily slowed down through the session until a slight pick-up in the final hour. Turnover reached a rate of around 1,700,000 shares.

Selected railway bonds attracted a little support.

Toward the close short covering developed and lifted most deliveries when traders who had sold earlier reversed their position. The rally was not sustained, however and profit taking absorbed most of the late advance.

The softness of the deferred delivery of soybeans was said to reflect the department of agriculture decision not to limit acreage of soybeans for 1950.

Cash traders said the basis for corn and oats was unchanged. Corn bookings were placed at 70,000 bushels on a to arrive basis.

Receipts were wheat 21 cars, corn 53, oats 10, rye 6, barley 6, soybeans 7.

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Holy Cross Basketeteers Top Press Poll Again; Bradley Is Moving Up

Pirates Purchase Young Sensation For \$100,000

Los Angeles, Jan. 31.—(P)—The Pittsburgh Pirates today paid \$100,000 for lefty Paul Pettit, 18-year-old high school lad from Long Beach, Calif.

It was reported to be the highest price ever paid for an untried rookie.

The deal was announced at a conference between Roy Hamey, general manager of the Pirates; Frederick Stephani, film producer who figures in the odd transaction; Pettit himself and his father, George Pettit.

The powwow was held in the office of Albert Blum, business manager for Stephanis.

Hamey said that the strapping youngster would pitch for New Orleans in the Southern Association this season and would join the Pirates in 1951.

Pettit stands six feet, two, weighs 205 pounds and was sensation hurling for tiny Nanorone high school at nearby Lomita for the past several years. Hamey said that many clubs had tried to get Pettit and admitted the bidding came high.

Asked if \$100,000 was a good guess, Hamey nodded in assent.

Stephani got into the picture recently when he signed the boy under contract for possible movie acting for \$85,000. Under that contract, Pettit received \$10,000 signing, a bonus of \$50,000 a three-year salary of \$18,000, \$5,200 for his father, who is a night watchman, and \$1,500 to his attorney. Even \$750 for a honeymoon, if and when he marries, was written into the pact.

College Coaches On Illinois Grid Clinic Program

Champaign, Ill.—Charles "Bud" Wilkinson of Oklahoma and L. R. "Dutch" Meyer of Texas Christian will be headline speakers on program of the Illinois High School Coaches' spring football clinic at University of Illinois, April 28-29.

Wilkinson, named "Coach of the Year" for his achievements with the undefeated Sooners, will discuss his famed Split T offense in clinic lectures.

Meyer was to have appeared on the 1949 program but illness and subsequent death of his wife prevented his appearance. One of the Southwest's most highly respected coaches, "Dutch" will handle single-wing phases of the clinic.

Outstanding high school coaches from Illinois also will be added to the speakers' list. Bob King, clinic program chairman said.

Sanford Signs '50 Yankee Contract

New York, Jan. 31.—(P)—Pitcher Fred Sanford, the New York Yankees' \$100,000 disappointment of 1949, signed his 1950 contract, club officials announced today.

Sanford came from the St. Louis Browns in the winter of '48 in exchange for \$100,000 and three players.

The hefty righthander, who won 12 games for the second division Browns in 1948, was able to notch only seven victories for the pennant-winning Yankees last year. He lost three games.

FIVE SHOTS BRING AID TO SICK MAN

Augusta, Ga., Jan. 31.—(P)—Neighbors and the law—came on the run when Niketas Gerakis, who lives alone, shot five times through his bedroom door at 1 a.m.

They found him acutely ill—too weak, he said, to shout for help but strong enough to shoot for it.

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By JACK HAND
New York, Jan. 31.—(P)—For the third straight week, unbeaten Holy Cross tops the Associated Press basketball poll with almost 60 per cent of the first place votes.

Although the crusaders were idle last week, they drew 92 of a possible 157 first place ballots from the nation's basketball writers and sportscasters.

Holy Cross and Duquesne, the only unbeaten major powers in the country, have identical 14-0 season records but the Crusaders piled up a point edge in the poll, 1,446 to 1,040. Points are figured on the basis of 10 for a first place vote and so on down to one for tenth place.

Duquesne made Youngstown its 14th victim, 69-49, to pick up 10 firsts. The Iron Ducks now head into a rugged week that includes games with both Cincinnati and Louisville.

Bradley Moves To Third

Solid victories over Tulane and St. Louis enabled Bradley (17-3) to vault from sixth to third place with four firsts. Close behind came Long Island University (12-2) which ran over Lawrence Tech, 84-54, in its only start. Seven writers ranked

LIU No. 1.

St. Johns (16-2) Kentucky (13-4), Ohio State (11-3) and LaSalle (12-2) were tightly bunched in that order from fifth through eighth positions.

St. John's returned to action with a 65-46 win over St. Francis. The Redmen, early AP poll leaders, drew only four first place votes.

After an upset loss to Notre Dame, Kentucky bounded back to dump Xavier and Georgia, good enough to attain six firsts.

Six men rated Ohio State tops in the nation after the Buckeyes' 63-58 triumph over Minnesota. LaSalle subdued Temple, 6-51 for an important win. They drew five firsts.

North Carolina State (15-3) earned six first place votes by whizzing past Louisville and Virginia Tech, moving up from tenth to ninth place.

City College Slips

City College of New York (10-3) ran over Muhlenberg, 95-76, for an impressive victory but fell from eighth to tenth place. The Beavers failed to land a first place ballot.

Only new member in the top ten is Ohio State, Indiana, idle all week, dropped from ninth to 12th.

Kansas State (12-3) placed 11th but picked up nine first place votes, third in that department. Others who were ranked No. 1 by at least one writer were Indiana (12-2), UCLA (13-4) and Toledo (14-3). UCLE had four firsts, Indiana three and Toledo one.

Chapin Blasts Tallula 53-36

Tallula—The Chapin Bearcats recuperated from their tournament lils in time to rock Tallula 53-36 here last night.

Bob Ommen and Jimmy Bonds paced the revamped Chapin attack, scoring 18 and 16 tallies apiece.

The Chapin seconds won the first game 36-21.

The Box Score:

	FG	FT	TP
D. Taylor, f.	5	3	13
Englebrecht, f.	0	2	2
Bonds, c.	5	6	16
Webber, c.	0	1	1
A. Taylor, g.	0	1	1
R. Taylor, g.	1	0	1
Ommen, g.	8	2	18
Total	19	15	53
FG FT TP	19	15	53

By Quarters:

	FG	FT	TP
Chapin	15	24	36
Tallula	6	14	30
Officials	Barniskus and Horvath, Springfield		

**House Passes Bill
On Cotton Acreage**

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Fathers Day With Mother Charged With Murder Of Baby Son

Chicago, Jan. 31.—(P)—Mrs. Mary French, 30, was booked by police on a murder charge today in the strangling of the 23 month old son, Arthur.

Police Capt. Patrick O'Connell said

Mrs. French killed a statement, admitting she killed the baby yesterday

by tightening a diaper or dish towel around his neck. She said she was distracted by the child's crying.

Mrs. French's husband, Eugene,

35, Randolph-Macon, 72, Towson State Teachers of Maryland, 60

Enior & Henry, 77; National Busi-

ness College (Va.), 51

St. John's (Brooklyn), 82; Manhat-

tan, 52

Montclair State Teachers (N.J.),

68; Panzer, 49

High Point, 71; Appalachian, 60

Gulford, 64; Lenoir Rhyne, 56

Miami (O.), 60; Xavier, 59

Gannon, 64; West Liberty (W.Va.),

Stetson, 73; Tampa, 65

South Carolina, 66; Davidson, 46

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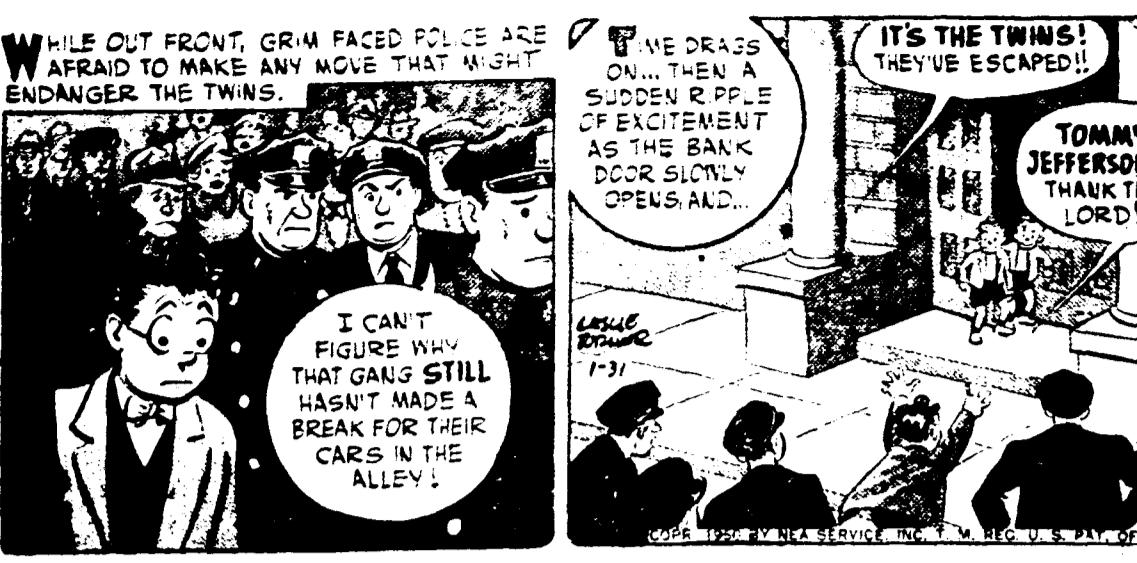
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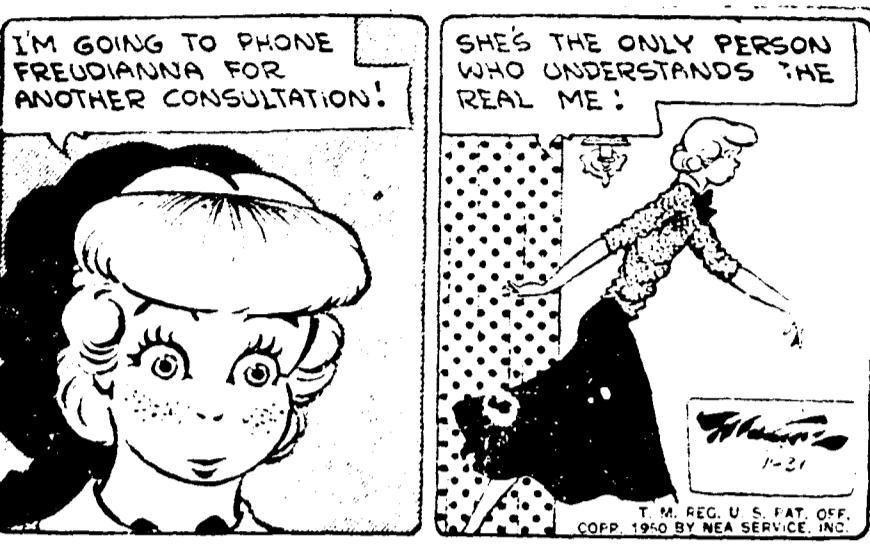
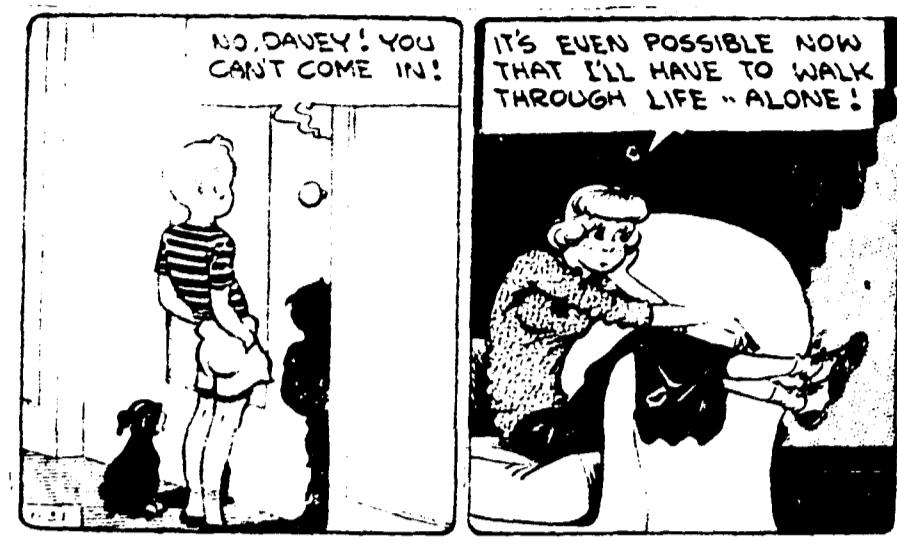
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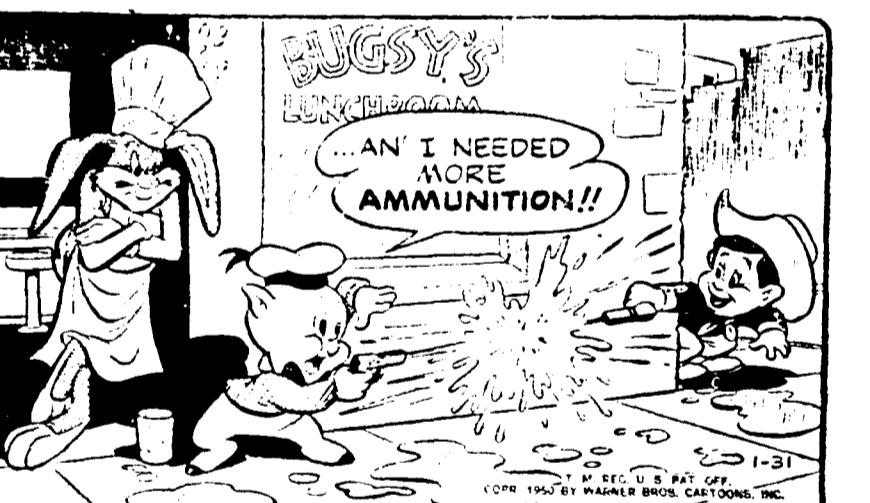
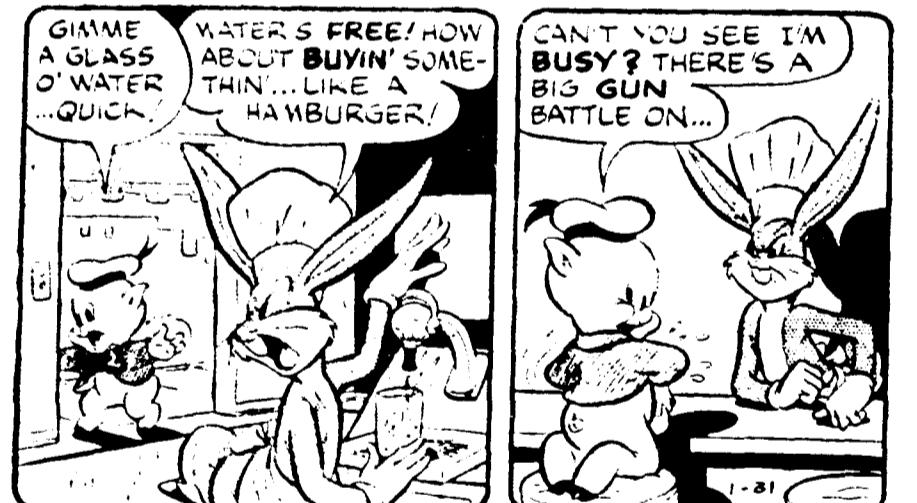
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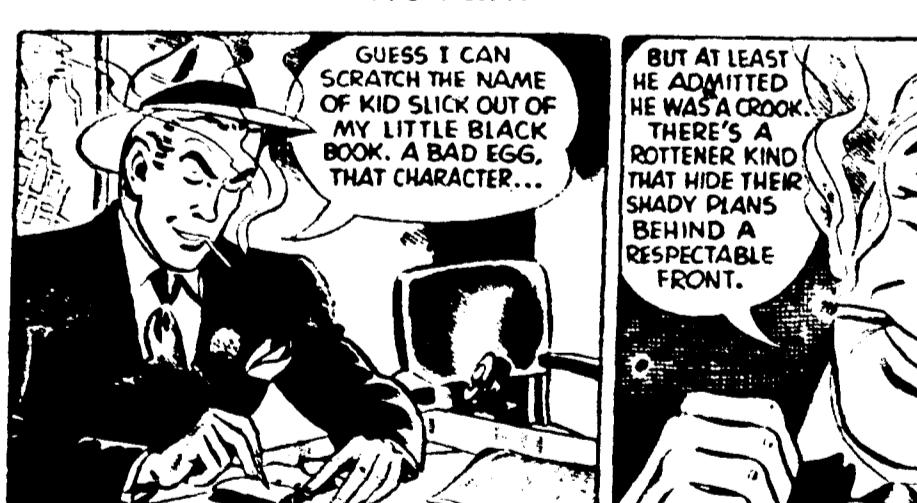
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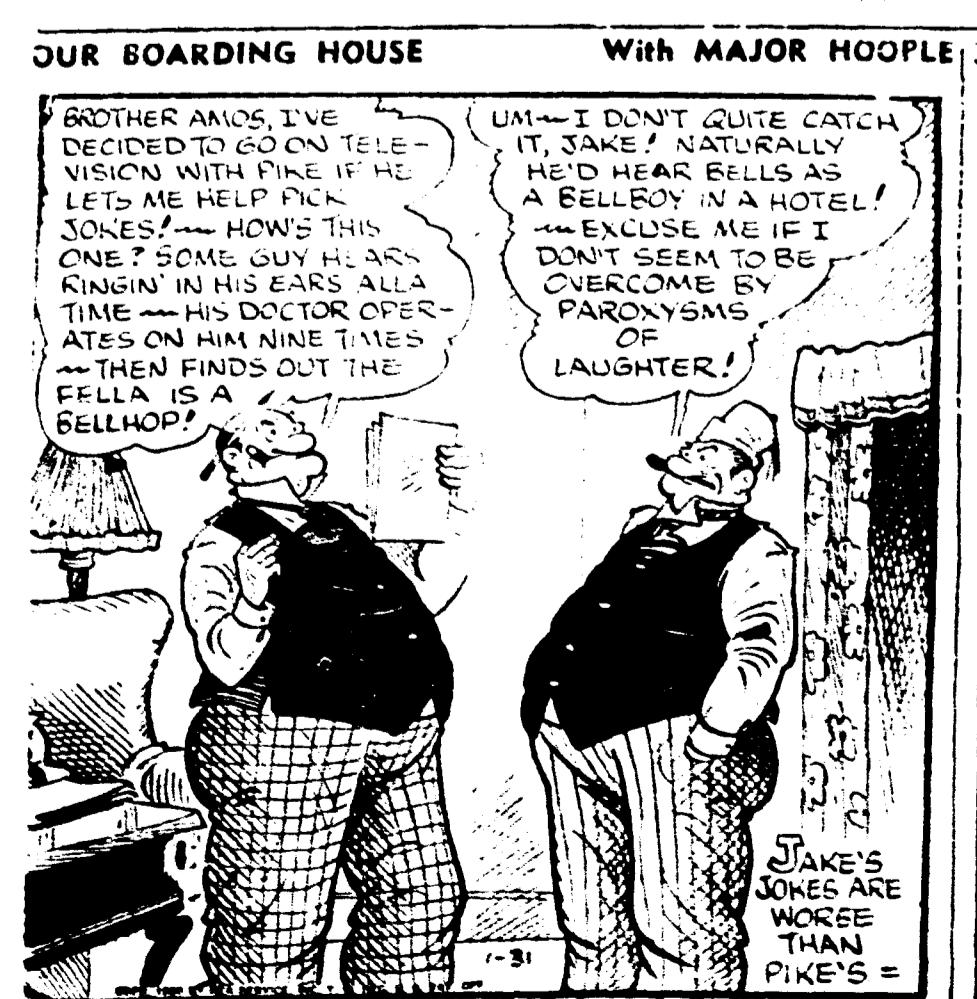
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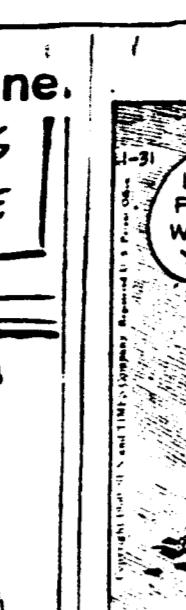
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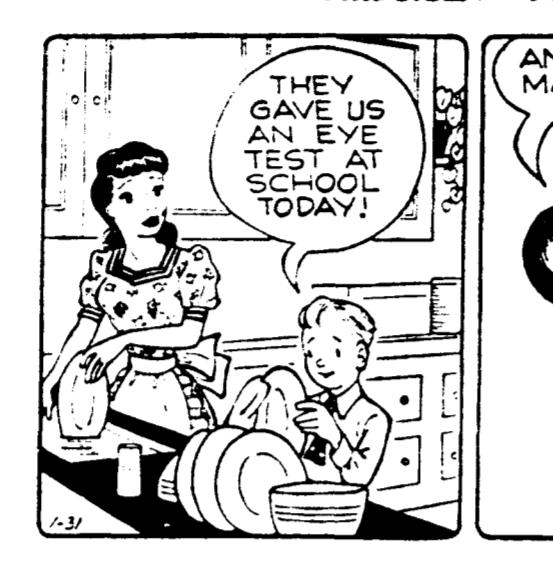


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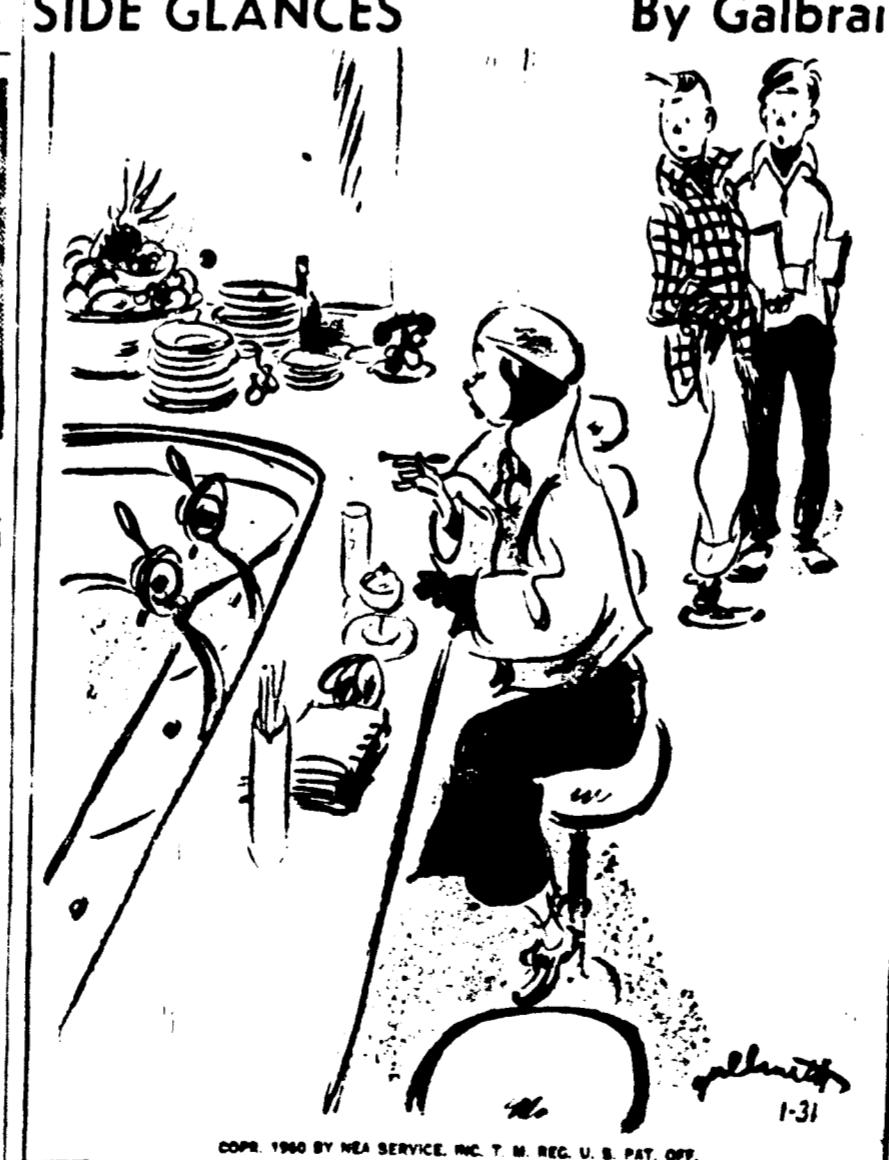
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For a moment she lay there, taut and quivering. The blast had apparently wrenched her nerves into a knot. Gradually she relaxed, turned on her side.

The sharp screams came then.

The lightning and thunder continued an accompaniment to the rain and it seemed as if the wind grew stronger, when at last Alice crawled into bed.

But Alice was tired and the storm did not keep her awake.

The full fury of the storm struck after midnight. Alice awakened to a stunning thunderclap and a world gone livid. The vividness vanished as the lightning flickered out. Thunder trailed off in a growling rumble, like the voice of a drunken giant lurching away cursing.

For a moment she lay there, taut and quivering. The blast had apparently wrenched her nerves into a knot. Gradually she relaxed, turned on her side.

The sharp screams came then.

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McClelland Addresses M'Murray Sophomores

The second year students at MacMurray College were formally recognized as having attained the status of sophomores, according to the standards established by the college, at a chapel service held Tuesday morning.

Carol Ronchetti, a member of the class, played the processional and the recessional marches, and Susan LaPierre played for the choir and the congregation. The song "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" was

Two Cars Collide At Intersection; One Driver Held

A Jacksonville man was being held in the city jail last night as the result of an automobile accident which occurred at 3:45 p.m. Tuesday at the intersection of South Clay and East College avenues. Although one of the automobiles was turned over by the impact of the crash, neither driver was seriously injured.

Sgt. Spreen and Officer Runkel who investigated the crash, reported that Paul Smith, 230 W. Walnut street, was driving a 1948 Chevrolet west on East College avenue. At the intersection his car was struck by a 1958 Buick driven south on South Clay by Leonard Thompson, 453 Lincoln avenue.

The Smith car turned over, with damage to both sides, the top and extensive glass breakage. Damage to the Thompson car was confined to the front end. The former car was taken to the Longstaff garage, where Smith is an employee, and the Thompson car was towed to the Lukeman garage.

Thompson is said to have walked away from the scene of the accident. He was brought to the city jail.

Leaders Attend Scout Roundtable Held Here Monday

Forty scout and cub leaders attended the first scout leaders roundtable held at the Grace Methodist church, Monday night. During the meeting the cub leaders and den mothers met under the leadership of Maurice Moriarty and discussed plans for next month's program. Harry Beasell, cubmaster of Cub Pack No. 113 of South Jacksonville, assisted with the demonstrations.

In the scouting section under the leadership of Lloyd Graunke, H. L. Steelman assisted with demonstrations in map making and lashings. Plans were made to start the scouts' basic instruction course. Plans and ideas for next month's work were discussed.

A. W. Brunk conducted the explorer section of the roundtable. Plans on the new program were shown.

H. L. Williamson, Jr., district commissioner of the Honest Abe district presented Willard Cody, chairman of the local scout organization. Arthur Samoore, chairman of the training committee and Olen Gottschall, who talked about the National Boy Scout Jamboree.

The group set the third Monday of the date of the next roundtable. Scouting from Jacksonville, South Jacksonville, Bluffs, Waverly, Woodson and Chapin attended. The refreshment committee for the next meeting will be the scouts from Waverly.

Murrayville Club Honors Birthday Of Edna Crouse

Murrayville—The birthday of Mrs. Edna Crouse was observed at the monthly meeting of the Royal Neighbors at the home of Mrs. Fred Simpson Friday evening. Games were played after the business session, and refreshments were served.

Guests were Deputy Mrs. Jean Blackman, Mrs. Theresa Walton, Mrs. Irene Garner of Jacksonville and Mrs. Oliver Jones of Woodson.

Others present were Mrs. Sarah Wade, Mrs. Stella Lawson, Mrs. Myrtle Barker, Mrs. Lenora Sorrells, Mrs. Edna Crouse, Mrs. Maxine Milligan, Mrs. Nellie Tendick, Mrs. Bertha Heenthal, Mrs. Stella Beadles, Mrs. Mae Osborne, Mrs. Mary Evans, Mrs. Kathryn Coleman and Mrs. Ruth Robinson.

James E. Jacobs Dies Yesterday

James E. Jacobs of 602 N. West street died at Passavant hospital at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday. He was 74 years old and had been a patient there for about two weeks.

Surviving is a brother, Wallace, of Mason City.

The body was taken to the Cody and Son Memorial Home. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

MORE RECIPE BOOKS

The Journal Courier has received a limited additional supply of the *Prairie of Foods* recipe book. Copies requested earlier are already in the mail.

Interested housewives may secure a copy of the recipe book by mailing a request on a penny postcard, or by calling at the Journal Courier business office.

31,300 At Social Evenings In 1949: Y. Annual Report

The Youth Center of the Y.M.C.A. had 500 members in 1949, including 255 from junior high, 185 from high school and 60 young adults; members of the Y.M.C.A. totalled 106 for boys, young men and men; 71 for girls, young women and women.

President McClelland based his recognition address upon William Henry Channing: "My Symphony": "To live content with small means, to seek elegance rather than luxury, and refinement rather than fashion, to be worthy not respectable, and wealthy, not rich, to study hard, think quietly, talk gently, act friendly, to listen to stars and birds, babes and sages; with open heart, to bear all cheerfully, to do all bravely, await occasions, hurry never; in a word, to let the spiritual, unbidden and unconscious, grow up through the common—this is to my symphony."

Others serving on the staff of the organization are Frances Hubbs, bookkeeper and stenographer; Gail Miller, food service director; Albert C. Phillips, building custodian; and Russell Walton and Jerry Laschinski, program assistants.

The junior high group meets on Monday and the high school members on Tuesday. Wednesday evenings are reserved for special occasions, since the churches of the city prefer that no regular activities take place then. The Coed club of young adults convenes on Thursday, the junior high and high school youth on Friday and the high school and young adults on Saturday.

Forty-two organized groups with a total enrollment of 658 met there 243 times during the year, making the complete attendance 7,471. Included were five clubs and six classes, 21 teams, two special interest groups taking up such subjects as handicraft and tap dancing, and eight boards, committees and councils.

The groups without definite enrollment, which meet five evenings a week for social recreation, reached an attendance figure of 31,300, and the year's attendance on the two playgrounds was 10,000. Special events like skating parties drew 611 students during the period.

Thirty-two volunteer leaders devoted 372 hours of their time to the Y's work. Eight girls and 23 boys stayed at 3 camps for 284 camper-days altogether; and 30,246 individual food sales were held during the year.

"Does college help us to attain this symphony of Channing's? this harmony in our life, wherein 'the spiritual, unbidden and unconscious, grows up through the common? Does it help us to unite a self-forgetting tenderness of heart with an earth despising dignity of soul? I think, on the whole, it does. I am quite sure that here in this college at least, which is a small college and where it is possible for us to maintain a spiritual atmosphere and where there is some desire for it on the part of the students, we all find help in the development of this harmony, this symphony, this union of heart-tenderness and soul-dignity."

Roodhouse Rites Unite Paul Young And Mildred Wahl

Mrs. Effie E. Bush, formerly of Mt. Sterling, Ill., died Tuesday afternoon at 830 West College avenue this city.

She was born in Brown county, Dec. 21, 1880, the daughter of William S. and Mary Perry Ward, and was united in marriage with Earl R. Bush, in October 1902. Mr. Bush preceded her in death.

Surviving are one daughter, Miss Bernardine Bush of this city, and two brothers, Sherman R. Ward and William Ward both of Mt. Sterling. One sister preceded her in death.

Mrs. Bush was a member of the Central Christian church.

The body was taken to the Williamson Funeral Home and will be removed to the Rounds Funeral Home in Mt. Sterling early Thursday morning where services will be held Friday afternoon.

Burial will be in the Mt. Sterling cemetery.

Friends Arrange Birthday Party For Russell Fox

Manchester—Russell Fox was pleasantly surprised last Sunday evening when a group of friends from the Pleasant Hill Baptist church met at his home in honor of his 42nd birthday. The evening was spent playing bingo, carrom and various other games.

Music was furnished by Harry Kendall Jr. and Willis Chapman with their guitars. Prizes went to Mrs. May Doss, Mrs. Jack Carter, Mr. Claude Day, Gail Day and Mrs. Albert Monroe.

After a brief wedding trip the couple will be at home at 748 W. Douglas avenue in Jacksonville. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd W. Sunderland Sr., of Jerseyville, and their son, Robert Downey, will be the attendants. William and Mrs. Frank Barrow and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chester and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Chapman and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Summers and son, Rev. Albert Monroe and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kendall, Jr. and daughter, Mrs. Verna Taylor, Mrs. Hazel Posey, Miss Ross Thompson and Howard Bushnell and Russell Fox, the guest of honor.

Mr. Fox received many cards and gifts. Several delicious cakes were baked by Mrs. Harry Kendall, Jr. and served with salad, coffee and chocolate.

Jerseyville—Mrs. Robert Downey, a lifelong resident of this city, died at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at Passavant hospital in Jacksonville, where she had been a patient since Nov. 11, after suffering a stroke at her home.

She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd W. Sunderland Sr.

She is survived by her husband and five children, Maxwell and Harold Downey and Mrs. Dorothy Wilson of Jerseyville, Mrs. Edith Wagone of Crosbie, Ill., and Charles Downey of White Hall; and several grandchildren.

The body was brought to the Jacoby Funeral home here. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

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IN LOVING MEMORY

In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Leonard Wayne Brittenstine, who passed away four years ago today, Feb. 1st, 1946.

Our dear one is gone, gone forever, but in our hearts he lives with us still.

Sadly missed by his wife and children, Mrs. Gladys Brittenstine, Kenneth Alice, Tommy, Harold, Freddie Brittenstine.

50 JANUARY BABIES BORN AT PASSAVANT

Passavant's 50th baby for January was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Wagner of Hersman, Ill., at 8:50 p.m. Tuesday. It is a 7 lb. 6 oz. boy and will be named Reginald O. after a friend who was killed while serving in World War II with Mr. Wagner. The couple have one other child, a two and a half year old Nancy Lee.

The number of babies born at Passavant during this month exceeded that for any month during 1949, when the record total was 43 in January and August.

COLD WATER TOWN

Cut Bank, Mont.—When 21-year weather burst a water main, many Cut Bank residences were left without water and one household quipped:

"New York has nothing on us . . . but it's too cold to take a bath, any day."

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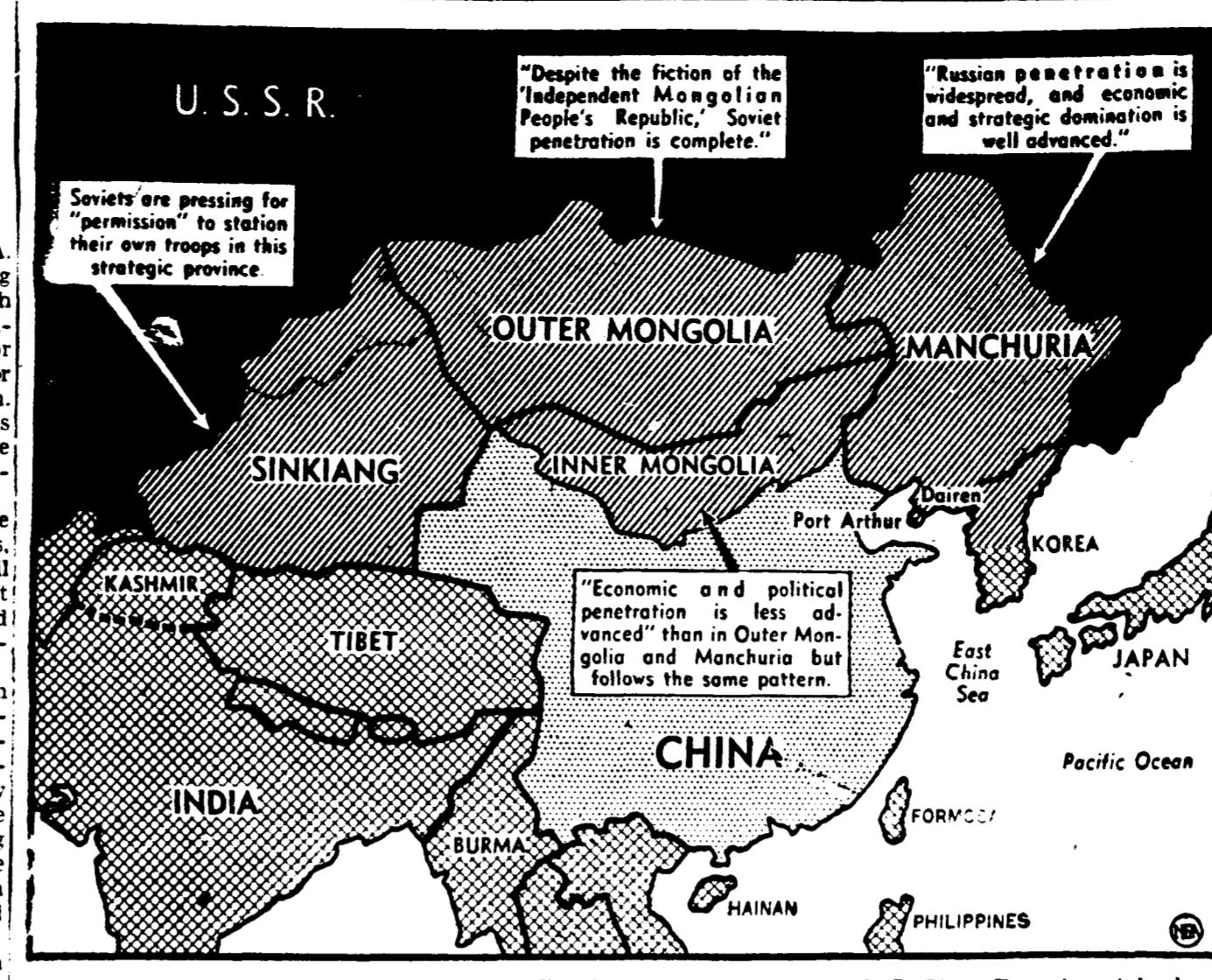
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BILL OF PARTICULARS—Answering Russia's angry denial, the U. S. State Department backs up Secretary Acheson's recent charge that Russia is extending control over rich slices of North China (diagonal shading) by giving an area-by-area picture of the situation. Taking Manchuria as an example of the Russian plan for domination, State points out: (1) Russia is "extending" control over railroads in that province. (2) Soviet troops occupy key ports of Dairen and Port Arthur. (3) Sixty per cent of farm produce is shipped to Russia. (4) Soviets operate key industrial and power plants, coal and gold mines, and the only civil airline. Type boxes on map are quotations from the State Department's detailed charges.

Student Recital To Be Presented At College Hall

A recital by pupils in the junior department of the Illinois Conservatory of Music will be given in Music Hall, MacMurray College, at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 2. This is the second in a series.

The public is cordially invited to the program, which will include selections by piano pupils of Miss Myrtle Larimore, Mrs. Elizabeth Blackburn Martin and Mrs. Mildred Isle and violin pupils of Mrs. Clara Moore Nelson.

Students to appear on the program are Garland Middendorf, Richard Middendorf, Graham Reiken, Mary Stewart, Jerry Symonds, Penelope Ball, Connie Lindsay, Betsy Engelbach, Carol Wessler, Charlotte Cody, Janet Lee Corey, David Corey, Carol Joyce Rolston.

Margaret Petefish, Ronald Russell, Barbara Dunlap, Richard Ommen, Sue Ann Crowe, Janice Maurer, Carol Ann Hess, Wilma Dobbs, Charlotte Sunderland, Barbara Whalin and Jimmy Symonds.

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Richard Godfrey treated the topic of "Parental Delinquency." Frank Smith's subject was "Adam in the Looking Glass," and Louis Katz spoke on "Barking Dogs." "The Essence of Democracy" was Roy E. Warner's address, and Dr. Gerald Richardson talked on "Credentials of Democracy."

Dr. Allen Biggs enlarged on the subject of "The Great Workshop," Rev. John W. Collins on "The Great Sacrifice." Howard G. Brown's speech was on "Three Thirds."

The toastmaster introduced the presidents of the two local Toastmaster clubs, and each president presented her club members. There were 15 toastmasters present altogether. Mrs. John Doyle is president of the Entre Nous club, and Mrs. Doris Biggs is leader of the Toastmasters club.

Dg. Victor H. Sheppard made a few remarks concerning the contest, after which Rev. John W. Collins was announced the winner, J. Allen Biggs being second and Roy E. Warner third. Roy Warner, the winner of the 1948 plaque, and Ted Fairburn, 1949 victor, presented the trophy to Rev. Collins.

An international contest is to be held in Washington state.

Meet Of Strawn's Crossing Women's Group Held Here

Strawn's Crossing Woman's club voted to endorse the candidacy of Miss Charlotte Sieber for president of the 20th District Federation of Woman's Clubs, at its meeting at Hamilton's cafe, beginning at 2 p.m. Tuesday. Mrs. Florence Meyer was hostess.

Mrs. Robert Hopper read a paper on "Federal Aid to Education," and Mrs. C. A. Bealmeir read an article, "The Most Forgettable Character I've Met," from the January Readers Digest.

Mrs. Oliver Cromwell, president, was in charge, and Mrs. H. V. Stubblefield led the pledge of allegiance. Mrs. Eva Murray led in prayer.

The next meeting will be Feb. 7 at Hamilton's cafe.

Patterson Party Held On Birthday Of Melita Hicks

Patterson—Melita Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hicks, south of here, was honored Friday afternoon, with a party given in observance of her fifth birthday.

Those present were Carolyn and Marlene Lemon and their mother, Mrs. Mabel Lemon, Carol and Junior Kemp and their mother, Mrs. Audrey Kemp, Ruth Ann and Ronnie Vestel and Donna Marie Shive, and mother, Mrs. Norville Hicks, and grandmother, Mrs. Norville Hicks, and aunt, Mrs. Norma Wald, were also present.

Fruit salad with whipped cream, angel food cake, cup cakes and cocoa were served to the guests.

SHAKESPEARE THEATER PLANS PROGRAM

Stratford-on-Avon, England.—William Shakespeare's sleepy home town has announced its program for the summer boozing days when American and continental tourists traditionally flock here to honor the bard.

The 1950 season of plays at the Shakespeare Memorial theater will be the longest ever—six and three-quarter months. First play of the 4 oz. son born at 6:02 p.m. Tuesdays. "Measure for Measure," opens at 8 p.m. at the Saviour's hospital.

Interment was in East View addition of Jacksonville cemetery.

The flowers were cared for by Betty Kettner, Jane Hazelrigg and Mildred Phalen.

Casket bearers were Harold Nunes, Joseph Nunes, Werner Souza, Thomas DeFreitas, William DeFreitas and Clark Frank.

Interment was in East View addition of Jacksonville cemetery.

Present were 14 members and two guests. Miss Ida Dixon of Alton and Mrs. Frank Veith of this city.

Prizes at Canasta were awarded to Mesdames Ella Scott, Alva Keyes and Frank Veith. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Births